

BILL ANALYSIS

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BACKGROUND

Article 4591.4, V.T.C.S., allows an employee of a state agency to have a day off with pay on "Martin Luther King, Jr., Day," in lieu of any other state holiday prescribed by law, but does not require the closing of state agencies on that day, or increase the number of state employee holidays for the year.

PURPOSE

As proposed, S.B. 134 provides for the observance of the third Monday in January as "Martin Luther King, Jr., Day," and the observance of the second Monday of October as Columbus Day.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY

It is the committee's opinion that this bill does not grant any additional rulemaking authority to a state officer, institution, or agency.

SECTION BY SECTION ANALYSIS

SECTION 1. Amends Article 4591, V.T.C.S., to provide for the observance of the third Monday in January as "Martin Luther King, Jr., Day."

SECTION 2. Amends Title 72, V.T.C.S., by adding Article 4591.6, to provide for the observance of the second Monday of October as Columbus Day.

SECTION 3. Repealer: Article 4591.4, V.T.C.S.

SECTION 4. Emergency clause.
Effective date: upon passage.